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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED							
PCT/JP2004/009966	13 JULY 2004	18 JULY 2003							
TITLE OF INVENTION CUTTER HANDLE FOR SCISSORS									
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US HASEGAWA, Katsumi									
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:									
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3. X This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.									
4. The US has been elected (Article 31).									
5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))									
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	application was filed in the United State	, ,							
6. X An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).									
a. X is attached hereto.									
b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).									
7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))  a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).									
b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.									
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d. have not been made and will not be made.									
8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).									
9. X An oath or declaration of the inv	entor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).								
10. An English language translation Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	of the annexes of the International Preli	iminary Examination Report under PCT							
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12. X An assignment document for red	cording. A separate cover sheet in com	pliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.							
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14. An Application Data Sheet unde	r 37 CFR 1.76.								
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## STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.125(b)

Sir:

Enclosed herewith are both clean and marked-up copies of a substitute specification that has been amended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.125(b). Applicant states that the substitute specification includes minor stylistic changes necessary to place the application in proper U.S. format. Applicant further states that no new matter has been added to the specification through these changes.

Respectfully submitted,

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